

4-H Achievement Night Entertaining



ENTHUSIASTIC FIRST YEAR 4-H members who received pins at the Achievement Party in Irrigon. (Not listed in order): Lyle Aylett, Gilene Broat, Jeffrey Hawkins, Wayne Huwe, Becky Johnson, Bonnie Johnson, Donald Leighton, Pamela Schmeder, Valeria Sullivan. Back row at right: Gail McCarty and Birdine Tullis.



ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHORAL GROUP that sang at the North Morrow County 4-H Achievement night.

4-H'ers Give Ione PTA Program

"THE WORLD HAS NEVER BEEN YOUNGER" was the title given to 4-H Night at Ione PTA meeting Nov. 13 with Marianne Pettyjohn as MC for the evening.

Marianne mentioned that "YOUTH—if you count everyone below 20 in that category—now comprises over half the world's population. As the nation has changed over the last 50 years, the 4-H program has changed, too. Young people today demand a greater challenge. 4-H is many things to many people. 4-H is boys and girls experiencing success, learning from a failure. 4-H is learning through pride of ownership. 4-H is boys and girls learning how to make decisions. 4-H is boys and girls preparing for jobs, sharing real life experience. It is young people pulling themselves up, using help, assuming responsibility. 4-H is whatever youth wants it to be."

She gave the following statistics: 41 clubs and 329 members and 55 leaders. Ione has the honor of having the two leaders with the longest records—Betty Carlson 18 years and Ruth McCabe 25 years.

Kathleen McElligott, representing the Merry Mixers Cooking Club led by Pat Pettyjohn, gave a demonstration on "How to prepare a Hobo Dinner."

The Arbuckle Ski Club led by Dick McElligott, entertained with ski movies of members, which were narrated by Don Peterson.

Phill Carlson representing the Gooseberry Livestock Club led by Louis Carlson, gave a rope demonstration.

The Merry Mixers Club did an impersonation of the Mothers PTA Kitchen Band. They wore the Mother's gaily decorated hats and red checkered aprons and played selections on the borrowed instruments.

Members of Ruth McCabe's "The 10 Stitches" Sewing Club, Lou Crum's "Super Stitches", Beverly Doherty's "The Six Stitches," and Nancy Ekstrom's "Busy Needles" Knitting Club took part in the Style Revue.

Beginners: Arlynda Aldrich, Arleida Cannon, Joan Doherty, Carol McElligott, Catherine McElligott, Natalie Tews, Lori Bergstrom, Sheri Wilson, and Cindy Martin.

Sub Deb: (A) Cheryl Hams, Doris McCabe, Melanie Ball, Joan McElligott, Mary Pat McElligott, Nancy Pettyjohn, and Tena Stefani.

Phase 5: Karen Crowell. Knitting: Carol Holtz, Cindy Ekstrom, Jan Ekstrom and Christina Lindstrom.

The serving tables were cleverly decorated by Loren Griffith's Ione Livestock & Crops Club, Dick McElligott's Arbuckle Ski Club, Donna Peterson's Trail Riders and Lou Crum's "Super Stitches" sewing club.

The tea table was decorated by the Merry Mixers Cooking Club. They also made and served the refreshments. Senior class mother's helping were Jean Nel-

Irrigon Cemetery District Seeks New Board Member

By FRANCES ROSE WILSON
IRRIGON — Petitions are being circulated for candidates for the cemetery board, one of which is to be elected December 1.

Pastor Herbert Vaughn of the Community Baptist church, attended the West End Ministerial meeting, held at the Good Shepherd Hospital, Hermiston. Pastor and Mrs. Vaughn also attended a conference in Milton-Freewater for Baptist ministers and their wives who pastor in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wilson, Leon and Larry were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dillford Mills, and Steve, at Hermiston. Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson of Hermiston, who are the daughter and son-in-law of Mills, were also guests at the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bolton of The Dalles visited at the homes of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Warner, and Mr. and Mrs. Batie Rand.

Mr. and Mrs. James Keith, Jr. have moved in a new mobile home on Ordinance Road. Just across the street from them, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Irish are completing a new home.

FFA Members Join In Speech Contest

At BMCC on Oct. 26, the FFA held a Sub-District Ritual and Creed speaking contest. This contest tested the ability of greenhands to recite the FFA creed and officers to recite parts in official meetings.

Heppner's team included John Curran, acting president; Bill Greenup, vice-president; Phil Ayres, acting secretary; Steve McDaniel, treasurer; Kirk Robinson, news reporter; and Hal Bergstrom, sentinel.

Chapters attending were Heppner, Hermiston, Mac Hi, Pendleton, Riverside, Stanfield, Umapine, and Wy East. Stanfield was first and Wy East second.

MR. AND MRS. CARL SPAULDING and Janice were in Eugene several days last week. Mr. Spaulding attended an accountants tax forum.

son and Martha Peterson and Junior Classroom Mothers, Annetta Klinger and Pat Pettyjohn. About 50 adults and 35 4-H members were entertained and served.

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Successful Hunts Enjoyed at Kinzua

KINZUA—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Slinkard and family and Jim Slinkard of Klamath Falls spent the weekend here visiting with relatives and doing some successful elk hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harper and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilsey spent the weekend at the Wilsey's hunting cabin in the Dale area. Mrs. Wilsey had gone to Pilot Rock and Pendleton the Wednesday before on business and joined the rest on Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Kelso was a business visitor to The Dalles last Tuesday.

Mrs. Wayland Hyatt and family were business visitors to Portland from Thursday until Sunday.

Spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Bowman were Joe Bowman and Cecil Overman of Portland. When they returned to Portland Sunday they were accompanied by Miss Linda Lorengel who had spent the weekend visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lorengel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Roe of Pendleton spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Browning and Linda.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Boring spent the weekend at Salem on business and while there visited with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Albert Portner went to Hood River Monday for medical care, returning home on Tuesday.

Brian Spivey Honored
 Mrs. Clarence Nelson and Mrs. Glenn Spivey were hostesses Sunday to a birthday party at the Nelson home in Spray for Brian Spivey who was three years old. The afternoon was spent visiting and watching Brian open his gifts after which birthday cake and ice cream were served to Brian, Mike and Marcel Klemig and Mrs. Robert Misener and daughter Randi of Portland, Mrs. Leona Wiese, Mr. and Mrs. John Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Ord Younce, Rhonda Simmons, and Grace Younce, all of Spray.

Mrs. Frank DeMeritt and Mrs. Earl Norris went to Heppner last Tuesday where Eva had medical care.

Mrs. Mike Todd and son Gary and Mrs. Richard Thomas were business visitors to Heppner Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hardwick and son Donny went to John Day Friday and watched Grant Union High defeat Sherman County High. They visited with their daughter Genine and with Mr. and Mrs. John Hardwick and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Overton.

Merlin Walker of Bend visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Van Arsdale.
 Mrs. Earl Norris, Mrs. Mike Todd, and Mrs. Wayne Rollis were business visitors to Prineville Monday. While there, Mrs. Norris kept a doctors appointment.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE HERMANN, Sandra and Donna of The Dalles came Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. Alex Hunt.

McDaniels, Robinson Attend Convention

Steve McDaniel and Kirk Robinson, Heppner FFA members, attended the Future Farmers of America National Convention at Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 14-18. Oregon with 174 representatives was the largest delegation there out of the approximately 35,000 attending from all 50 states.

From Oregon, last year's state president, Dave Dietz, was elected to the office of national vice-president from the Pacific Region. Another honor for Oregon came when the current state president, Chris Johns, came in second in the National Public Speaking Contest.

Other highlights of the convention were the presentation of awards to National Honorary Members, National Safety Chapter, and National Honorary Advisors. The American Royal Fair and Parade along with the National FFA Band and Chorus were added attractions.

One major proposal presented and passed by a majority vote was that girls will be admitted into all Future Farmers of America chapters activities.

Two stops were made on the train trip, one at Cheyenne, Wyo., for an hour, and the other at Denver, Colo., for a night. There, the weather dropped to seven below zero with 3 feet of snow.

FFA Goes On Soil Judging Trip

A soil judging field trip at Hermiston, Nov. 6, was attended by 11 members of the Heppner FFA.

Three different judging pits were set up at various spots around the Echo junction area eight miles west of Hermiston. Members judging on the trip were Phil Ayres, Thomas Cutsforth, Rick Drake, Bill Greenup, Mark Hopkins, Terry Hughes, Sandy Matthews, Steve McDaniel, Sue Melby, Kirk Robinson, and Dean Wright. The supervisor on the trip was Heppner FFA Chapters' advisor Hal Whitaker.

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